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(For Nonprovisional Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled OBJECT IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM APPLICATIONS and invented by Mark F. Jones and James C. Lyman.

This new application is a continuation of U.S. patent application 08/946,279, which was filed on October 7, 1997 as a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application 08/517,378 filed on August 21, 1995.

The entire disclosure of prior application 08/946,279, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Enclosed are:

- 1) Check #1227 in the amount of \$380 to cover the Basic Filing Fee for a small entity.
- 2) Specification having twenty-four (24) pages and including one independent claim and an abstract.
- 3) Five (5) formal drawing sheets.

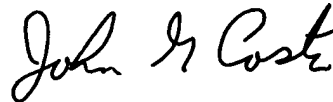
4) Copy of the Declaration for Patent Application filed with U.S patent application 08/946,279.

5) Copy of the Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status filed with U.S patent application 08/946,279.

6) Acknowledgment postcard.

There has been no change regarding either the inventors or the small entity status of the inventors since the filing of prior US patent application 08/946,279.

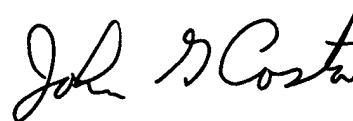
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